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Applicant(s): Glen H. ERIKSON et al.

Serial No: 09/664,827

Group Art Unit: 1637

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For: QUADRUPLIX DNA AND DUPLEX PROBE SYSTEMS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for an additional two months extension of time for further responding to the May 30, 2002 Final Rejection, the time for response having been extended for one month by the September 27, 2002 Petition for Extension of Time. This extension of time permits Applicant to timely file the attached Notice of Appeal on December 2, 2002 (November 30, 2002 being a Saturday).

Authorization to charge the additional fee of \$405 (\$460-\$55) for a three-month extension of time for a small entity, and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition For Extension of Time is granted in the attached Fee Transmittal.

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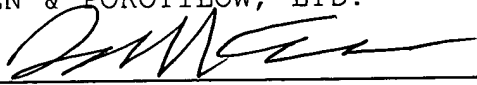
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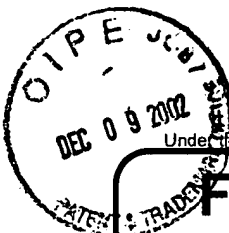
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Respectfully submitted,

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

for FY 2003

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 565.00

Compleat if Known	
Application Number	09/664,827
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Deposit Account Number: 03-0075

Deposit Account Name: Caesar, Rivise, Bernstein, Cohen & Pokotilow, Ltd.

The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)					
3. ADDITIONAL FEES					
Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	400	2252	200	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	920	2253	460	Extension for reply within third month	405.00
1254	1,440	2254	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,960	2255	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	160.00
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,280	2453	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,280	2501	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	460	2502	230	Design issue fee	
1503	620	2503	310	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	740	2809	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	740	2810	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	740	2801	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)					
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid					
SUBTOTAL (3)					(\$) 565.00

FEE CALCULATION			
1. BASIC FILING FEE			
Large Entity		Small Entity	
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)
1001	740	2001	370
1002	330	2002	165
1003	510	2003	255
1004	740	2004	370
1005	160	2005	80
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$) 0.00	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims: -20** = X =

Independent Claims: -3** = X =

Multiple Dependent: =

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$) 0.00		

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

SUBMITTED BY		(Complete if applicable)	
Name (Print/Type)	David M. Tener	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	37,054
Signature		Telephone	215-567-2010
		Date	December 2, 2002

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